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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed April 9, 2003,
please amend the above-referenced patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please amend claims 3, 10, 12, 16, and 18-22 as follows.

3. (Amended)   The method of claim 2, further comprising:
subtracting the alpha value from the predetermined
threshold value to arrive at a second result.

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10. (Amended)   A system comprising:
a controller to associate an alpha value with a signal to
be displayed; and
a processor coupled to the controller to execute a software
program which includes instructions to enable the system to
adjust a flicker filter based upon the alpha value.